

History Outreach 2006:

Preserving Our Heritage Collections

Tuesday, January 24

Start off your New Year at the San Bernardino County Museum's History Outreach 2006: Preserving Our Heritage Collections – another in our ongoing series of hands-on workshops related to collections care. This workshop, presented by the museum history division, is designed for volunteers and staff members who care for two- and three-dimensional artifacts at venues like genealogical and historical societies, museums, and libraries.

Join us on Tuesday, January 24, 2006 at the San Bernardino County Museum, Fisk Gallery. We will begin at 8:30 a.m. with coffee and start our program promptly at 9:00 a.m. This workshop will focus on three timely topics: **disaster preparedness, humidification of documents, and cataloging technique.** And, **back by popular demand,** we will review the care and storage of artifacts that are made of animal hides including fur coats, leather gloves and even the covers of books. Informative hand-outs and reading lists related to the workshop topics will be available for all participants.

This workshop offers the opportunity to network with others in your field, ask questions, and learn more about the care of collections materials by trying your hand at a few new techniques. **A highlight of the program will be the opportunity to learn how to construct and use a humidification chamber** that will handle rolled or folded maps and other documents. This workshop is offered free of charge and is anticipated to fill very quickly. Please call or e-mail curator of history Michele Nielsen at 909.307.2669 x 240 (mnielsen@sbcm.sbcounty.gov) to reserve your seat by January 13th, 2006. Attendance will be limited to 15 participants to assure that everyone will have the chance to take part in the hands-on activities. **We look forward to seeing you!**



Schedule

8:30 to 9:00 a. m.

Seating and greeting

9:00 to 10:30 a. m.

Demonstrations, lecture,
hands-on activities

10:30 to 11:00 a. m.

Refreshments

11:00 to 12:00 p. m.

Group activity, question and
answer period, and closing

The San Bernardino
County Museum
2024 Orange Tree Lane
Redlands, CA 92374

Please reserve space at "History Outreach 2006: Preserving Our Heritage Collections"
at the San Bernardino County Museum on Tuesday, January 24, 2006. Total number of attendees ____.

Name _____ Telephone _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

E-mail _____

Affiliation/Organization _____

Names of additional attendees: